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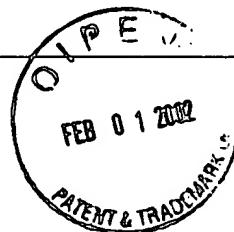
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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT by an Employee of the Right to apply for a Patent and AN ASSIGNMENT to have effect on the **SEVENTH DAY OF JANUARY 2001 BETWEEN**

**SEAN CONOR WRYCRAFT**, of UNITED KINGDOM nationality, of 3 SURREY ROAD, HARROW, MIDDLESEX, HA1 4NJ, UNITED KINGDOM (hereinafter referred to as "Inventor") of the first part;

**SUN MICROSYSTEMS LIMITED**, a UNITED KINGDOM company, having a place of business at BAGSHOT MANOR, GREEN LANE, BAGSHOT, SURREY, GU19 5NL, UNITED KINGDOM (hereinafter referred to as "Employer Company") of the second part; AND

**SUN MICROSYSTEMS, INC.**, a corporation of Delaware, United States of America, having a place of business 901 SAN ANTONIO ROAD, PALO ALTO CALIFORNIA 94303, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (hereinafter referred to as "Parent Company") of the third part.

WHEREAS:-

- (A) The Inventor claims to have made the Invention described in the Schedule (hereinafter referred to as "the Invention");
- (B) The Invention has been made by the Inventor during the period of his/her employment with the Employer Company and in the course of his/her normal duties with the Employer Company and by virtue of the terms of his/her employment with the Employer Company, the Invention is to be taken as between the Employer Company and the Inventor to belong to the Employer Company;
- (C) The Employer Company agrees to assign the Invention and the right to apply for a patent or patents relating to the said Invention to the Parent Company together with all rights title and beneficial interest in and arising therefrom.

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSES as follows:-

1. The Inventor HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGES that the Invention and all rights therein including the right to apply for a patent or patents relating to the Invention belongs to the Employer Company, and in consideration thereof and pursuant thereto HEREBY ASSIGNS TO AND CONFIRMS the vesting in the Employer Company of:

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(b) the right to apply for and obtain or to enable others to apply for and obtain a patent or patents or any other form of protection in respect of the Invention both in the United States of America and throughout the world.

2. In pursuance of the agreement referred to in Recital (C) and IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of FIVE US DOLLARS, receipt of which is hereby confirmed, the Employer Company hereby assigns to the Parent Company all its rights in the Invention including the right to apply for a patent or patents and to exploit the Invention or any patent or other protection obtained in respect thereof TO HOLD the same unto the Parent Company absolutely.

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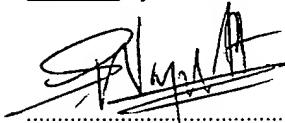
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SCHEDULE

The invention is as described in the draft specification entitled "AN EJECTOR MECHANISM" (SUN REF: P4925).

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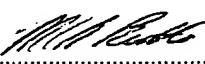
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